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In re Application of  
Michael Fonseca, et. al.  
Application No. 10/054,671  
Filed: January 22, 2002  
Attorney Docket No. 50615-316472

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed November 26, 2008, to revive the above-identified application.

The application became abandoned for failure to file a response to the final Office action mailed on March 13, 2008. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed September 26, 2008.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and fee of \$405 and the submission under 37 CFR 1.114; (2) the petition fee of \$810; and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay. Therefore, the petition is **GRANTED**.

This application file is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 3735 for processing of the RCE and for appropriate action by the Examiner in the normal course of business on the amendment submitted in accordance with 37 CFR 1.114.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3226.

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